

**NORTHAMPTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE**  
**Meeting of the Curriculum Subcommittee**  
**Wednesday, June 7, 2023 ♦ 5:00PM– 6:00PM**  
Online Zoom Meeting

Pursuant to Governor Baker's [Emergency Order](#) Modifying the State's Open Meeting Law issued on March 12, 2020, the Curriculum Subcommittee meeting of June 7, 2023 will be held using remote participation.

WRITTEN TESTIMONY/COMMENTS MAY BE SUBMITTED TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE CLERK AT: [anniethompson@northampton-k12.us](mailto:anniethompson@northampton-k12.us) UNTIL 5 P.M. ON TUESDAY, JUNE 6, 2023 TO BE INCLUDED AS PART OF THE PUBLIC RECORD FOR THAT MEETING.

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AGENDA

- I. Call to order / Roll Call
- II. VOTE: to approve minutes of May 3, 2023
- III. Embedded Honors Update and Next Steps Bill Wehrli & Meghan Harrison
  - Update SC request sent to NHS to provide objective data assessment of Embedded Honors three years in.
- IV. Start Time Discussion Bill Wehrli & Meghan Harrison
  - Impact on athletics / missing last block & possible alternatives
  - Feedback: Administrative staff and faculty
- V. Standards-Based Grading Bill Wehrli & Meghan Harrison
  - Update on grading at NHS and outlook for 2023-2024
- VI. Update: Literacy Pilot Process and Progress: Roxanne Dorrie & Rachel Nicholas
- VII. Climate Change Curriculum: Meg Robbins
  - Community members request to explore creating a K-12 interdisciplinary scaffolded curriculum that aligns with our [Sustainable Northampton Climate, Resilience and Regeneration Plan.](#)
- VIII. Review: Mission Statement

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- IX. Next Steps
- X. Next Meeting: September 6, 2023
- XI. Adjourn

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